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1 JUDGE JONES: And are you licensed to practice  
2 law in some state?

3 MS. ARNOLD: Pennsylvania and Colorado; not  
4 Illinois.

5 JUDGE JONES: And are you an employee or  
6 officer in Aqua Illinois, Inc.?

7 MS. ARNOLD: No.

8 JUDGE JONES: All right. Do you seek special  
9 leave to appear in this proceeding as an out-of-state  
10 counsel?

11 MS. ARNOLD: Yes.

12 JUDGE JONES: And does the State of  
13 Pennsylvania offer similar accommodations to Illinois  
14 attorneys for similar matters?

15 MS. ARNOLD: Yes, sir, it does.

16 JUDGE JONES: All right. Thank you.  
17 Commission staff?

18 MS. VON QUALEN: Janis Von Qualen and Matt  
19 Harvey on behalf of the staff of the Illinois  
20 Commerce Commission, 527 East Capitol Avenue,  
21 Springfield, Illinois 62701.

22 JUDGE JONES: And what's your phone number?

1 MS. VON QUALEN: Area code (217) 785- 3402.

2 JUDGE JONES: Thank you.

3 Are there any other appearances? Let  
4 the record show no response.

5 Does the staff have any objection to  
6 Ms. Arnold's request or motion for special leave?

7 MS. VON QUALEN: Staff has no objection.

8 JUDGE JONES: Let the record show that motion  
9 is granted.

10 With respect to scheduling of the  
11 case, it's my understanding the parties have or staff  
12 and company have worked out a proposed schedule to be  
13 offered into the record at this time; is that  
14 correct?

15 MS. VON QUALEN: Yes.

16 JUDGE JONES: Would one of you care to read  
17 into the record what you believe to be the agreed to  
18 schedule?

19 MS. VON QUALEN: Yes, I will read it.

20 The proposal is for staff and  
21 intervenor testimony to be filed on June 29th;

22 Company rebuttal testimony to be filed

1 on July 31;

2 Staff and intervenor rebuttal

3 testimony to be filed on August 30th;

4 Company surrebuttal testimony on

5 September 11th;

6 Hearings to be held September 20th and

7 21st; .

8 Initial briefs to be due October 19th;

9 reply briefs on October 31st.

10 And, of course, subject to the ALJ's  
11 schedule, we suggested that a proposed order might be  
12 issued by December 11th and a brief on exceptions on  
13 December 18th with a reply brief on exceptions on  
14 December 22nd.

15 JUDGE JONES: Thank you.

16 Is that schedule acceptable to the  
17 company?

18 MS. GALIOT0: Yes, it is, Your Honor.

19 JUDGE JONES: Are those testimony dates  
20 electronic filing dates?

21 MS. GALIOT0: Yes, it would be our  
22 understanding that they would be electronic filing

1 dates.

2 MS. VON QUALEN: That is staff's understanding  
3 as well.

4 JUDGE JONES: And they would be served on other  
5 parties and on me electronically on those dates also,  
6 is that right?

7 MS. GALIOTO: Yes, that's correct.

8 MS. VON QUALEN: Yes.

9 JUDGE JONES: All right. Let the record show  
10 that that schedule as proposed is adopted with one  
11 comment.

12 With respect to the 2007 Commission  
13 calendar, that has not yet been issued, so the  
14 Commission meeting dates in January of '07 are  
15 unknown at this time.

16 If it is necessary to make some  
17 adjustments in the post-hearing portion of the  
18 schedule to provide sufficient time and a sufficient  
19 number of sessions for the Commission to consider  
20 this matter once that '07 calendar is out, then we  
21 may need to revisit the schedule to make the  
22 necessary adjustments.



1 Any questions about that?

2 MS. VON QUALEN: No.

3 JUDGE JONES: All right. Any other questions  
4 or clarifications regarding the schedule?

5 MS. VON QUALEN: No.

6 JUDGE JONES: Let the record show there are  
7 not.

8 As far as the starting time on the  
9 20th, is 10 a.m. satisfactory or do you have a  
10 different time in mind?

11 MS. VON QUALEN: 10 a.m. sounds good to me.

12 MS. GALIOTO: That sounds good, Your Honor.

13 JUDGE JONES: All right. Thank you. We'll  
14 make it 10 a.m., and as far as the 21st, if that date  
15 is needed, we will work out a start time on that at a  
16 later point, most likely on the 20th.

17 That may be it.

18 Any other matters before we conclude  
19 this prehearing conference?

20 MS. VON QUALEN: Yes, Judge.

21 I just wanted to mention for the  
22 record that we have had discussions with the company

1 in regards to data request turnaround, and the  
2 company has indicated that they will use their best  
3 efforts to have a two-week turnaround for data  
4 request responses.

5 MS. GALIOTO: That is correct, Your Honor. We  
6 will use our best efforts to meet a two-week  
7 turnaround although the Commission's rules do allow  
8 for 28 days.

9 JUDGE JONES: Anything else on that?

10 MS. VON QUALEN: No.

11 JUDGE JONES: All right. Any other matters  
12 relating to the scheduling or other prehearing  
13 conference considerations?

14 MS. VON QUALEN: Staff has nothing further.

15 MS. GALIOTO: Aqua has nothing further.

16 JUDGE JONES: All right. At this time, let the  
17 record show this prehearing conference is over.

18 Thanks to the company, Ms. Galimoto,  
19 for furnishing a call-in number.

20 At this time, let the record show this  
21 matter is continued to the aforementioned date of the  
22 20th of September at 10 a.m. with a hearing also

1 scheduled for September 21 with the start time to be  
2 determined later.

3 Thank you.

4 (Whereupon the hearing was  
5 continued to September 20th at  
6 10:00 a.m.)

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